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SUGGESTIVE OUTLINE FOR DISCUSSION OF HOW A FARM FAMILY MAY USE ECONOMIC INFORMATION TO BETTER ITS LEVEL OF LIVING

- I. What is the farm family like?
- II. What does it want to be like?
- III. What can this family do to be more like it wants to be?
 - I. What is the farm family like?
 - A. General information.
 - 1. Composition of family, number and ages of children, and number of children in school.
 - 2. Social status of family, membership in church and other organizations.
 - 3. Location of home, distance from school and business center.
 - B. What is the present level of living of the family?
 - 1. Does it own or rent?
 - 2. What is the size of the farm?
 - 3. What are the principal crops?
 - 4. What does it raise on the farm for home use?
 - 5. How long has it lived here and has it moved much from place to place?
 - 6. Does it have a telephone, a radio, a car?
 - 7. What is the estimated net income of the family?
 - 8. Is the land good or poor, and is there any indication of unwise use of land?
 - 9. Is there any indication of lack of adequate credit?
 - 10. Is there indication of burdensome debt?
 - 11. What are the spending habits of the family?
 - 12. Does the family seem to make unwise expenditures or indulge in piecemeal spending? What is the evidence?
 - 13. Does the family consider major expenditures in the light of the total year's expenditures and total family expenditures? What is the evidence?
 - 14. What about the managerial ability of the family?
 - 15. Is there family cooperation?
 - 16. Is there appreciation of advantages of home production of food and feed?
 - 17. What is the general condition of the home and grounds?
 - 18. What is the extent of equipment in the home?

II. What does this family want to be like?

- A. Does the family want to increase its income--both nonmoney and money?
- B. Does the family want to make better use of its resources --money, land, time, energy, etc.?
- C. What are some present desires of the family?
- D. What are some future goals of the family?

III. What can this family do to be more like it wants to be?

- A. Could this family plan to make better use of its resources?
 - 1. What evidences or indications are there of the need to do this?
 - 2. What would you suggest that this family can do
 to make better use of its resources and increase
 its real income? (Be sure that solutions are
 practical and attainable).
- B. What economic information of the type discussed in this and other outlook conference would help this family to increase its income or to make better use of its resources?
- C. What adjustments would you suggest that this family might make?

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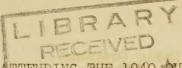
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